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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 06, 2006, on the above-referenced patent application, applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION	
I hereby certify that this Amendment (and any item referred to herein as being attached or enclosed) are being transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Centralized facsimile number (571) 273-8300, attention Mail Stop Amendment, Examiner Kristal J. Feggins, Group Art Unit 2861 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 on the date indicated below.	
<i>July 06, 2006</i> Date	<i>Mary M. Schriener</i> By: Mary M. Schriener